

Ibid. sec. 169.

440. The supervisor of each road district is authorized to hire horses, wagons, carts and plows, and to employ not less than six able-bodied men hands to work on the repairs of the public roads and bridges in his district, and he is required to commence the ordinary repairs of said public roads and bridges in the month of May, and to complete the same by the first day of September, in each year.

P. L. L. (1888), art. 16, sec. 170.

441. Each supervisor is required to keep an accurate account of the number of days he was engaged on the repairs of said roads and bridges in his road district as supervisor, the number of hands worked each day, and the number of days' labor performed by each hand, the number of horses, wagons, carts and plows used, and the number of days they were in use, and report the same under oath to the county commissioners.

Ibid. sec. 171.

442. If any supervisor shall render to the county commissioners a false statement of account, or shall be guilty of wilful neglect of duty, he shall be liable to indictment by the grand jury, and if convicted in the Circuit Court for said county shall be fined any sum, in the discretion of the court, not exceeding fifty dollars for each offence.

Ibid. sec. 172.

443. The county commissioners are authorized to purchase, for the use of the county roads, scoops, hoes, shovels and picks, for the purpose of repairing said roads and bridges, to be distributed amongst the several supervisors, who shall take care of them and pass them to their successors when called for.

Ibid. sec. 173.

444. The county commissioner for each district shall have general supervision over the several public roads and bridges in his district, and it shall be his duty to see that they are kept in good repair; and he is empowered to suspend any road supervisor in his district for neglect of duty; and in case of such suspension, he shall report the same to the board of commissioners, who may dismiss such offender.

P. L. L. (1888), art. 16, sec. 174.

445. The county commissioners shall determine the per diem to be allowed to the several supervisors, hands, horses, wagons, carts and plows, and the number of hours that shall constitute a day's work, and cause the same to be entered upon the minutes of their proceedings, and shall notify the super-